Conclusion

This Handbook was developed as a starting point for ranchers to begin a monitoring program. It may be that the Handbook is not complete and does not provide a technique to monitor an issue for a specific ranch. The following list of agencies is provided should a rancher need assistance in developing monitoring methods beyond those included in the handbook.

Local

Soil and Water Conservation Districts

New Mexico Agencies

New Mexico Department of Agriculture

New Mexico Environmental Department

New Mexico State University Cooperative Extension Service

New Mexico State University Range Improvement Task Force

New Mexico Game and Fish Department

New Mexico State Forestry Department

New Mexico State Engineer

New Mexico State Land Office

Federal Agencies

Agricultural Research Service/Jornada Experimental Range

Natural Resource Conservation Service

Forest Service

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Bureau of Land Management

Fish and Wildlife Service

US Geological Service

Environmental Protection Agency